

(C) the payment of stationery supplies purchased through the Keeper of the Stationery;

(D) payments to the Postmaster of the Senate;

(E) the payment of metered charges on copying equipment provided by the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper;

(F) the payment of Senate Recording and Photographic Services; or

(G) the payment of franked and mass mail costs by the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper.

(b) AGENCY CONTRIBUTIONS.—There are authorized to be paid from the appropriations account for “Expenses of Inquiries and Investigations” of the Senate such sums as may be necessary for agency contributions related to the compensation of employees of the committee—

(1) for the period March 1, 2021 through September 30, 2021;

(2) for the period October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022; and

(3) for the period October 1, 2022 through February 28, 2023.

**AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET**

Mr. MENENDEZ. Mr. President, I have 2 requests for committees to meet during today’s session of the Senate. They have the approval of the Majority and Minority leaders.

Pursuant to rule XXVI, paragraph 5(a), of the Standing Rules of the Senate, the following committees are authorized to meet during today’s session of the Senate:

**COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY**

The Committee on the Judiciary is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Monday, February 22, 2021, at 9:30 a.m., to conduct a hearing on nominations.

**COMMITTEE ON RULES AND ADMINISTRATION**

The Committee on Rules and Administration is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Monday, February 22, 2021, at 5:45 p.m., to conduct a hearing.

**ORDERS FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2021**

Mr. SCHUMER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 23; further, that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and morning business be closed; further, that upon conclusion of morning business, the Senate proceed to executive session as provided under the previous order. Finally, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate recess following the cloture vote on the Thomas-Greenfield nomination until 2:15 p.m.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Without objection, it is so ordered.

**ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10:30 A.M. TOMORROW**

Mr. SCHUMER. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come be-

fore the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that it stand adjourned under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:18 p.m., adjourned until Tuesday, February 23, 2021, at 10:30 a.m.

**NOMINATIONS**

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

JEWEL HAIRSTON BRONAUGH, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE DEPUTY SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE, VICE STEPHEN CENSKY.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

CHQUITTA BROOKS-LASURE, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE CENTERS FOR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID SERVICES, VICE SEEMA VERMA.

ANDREA JOAN PALM, OF WISCONSIN, TO BE DEPUTY SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, VICE ERIC D. HARGAN.

**NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD**

JENNIFER ANN ABRUZZO, OF NEW YORK, TO BE GENERAL COUNSEL OF THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD FOR A TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE PETER B. ROBB.

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

JAMES RICHARD KVAAL, OF MASSACHUSETTS, TO BE UNDER SECRETARY OF EDUCATION, VICE THEODORE REED MITCHELL.

CYNTHIA MINETTE MARTEN, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE DEPUTY SECRETARY OF EDUCATION, VICE MITCHELL ZAIS.

**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

DEANNE BENNETT CRISWELL, OF NEW YORK, TO BE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, VICE PETER GAYNOR.

**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

RICHARD A. SAUBER, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TO BE GENERAL COUNSEL, DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS, VICE JAMES BYRNE, RESIGNED.

**IN THE AIR FORCE**

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

*To be major general*

BRIG. GEN. SHARON R. BANNISTER  
BRIG. GEN. PAUL A. FRIEDRICH

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

*To be major general*

BRIG. GEN. JOHN J. ALLEN  
BRIG. GEN. JASON R. ARMAGOST  
BRIG. GEN. MATTHEW W. DAVIDSON  
BRIG. GEN. EVAN C. DERTIEN  
BRIG. GEN. MICHAEL L. DOWNS  
BRIG. GEN. TROY E. DUNN  
BRIG. GEN. PETER M. FESLER  
BRIG. GEN. DAVID M. GAEDDECKE  
BRIG. GEN. ANTHONY W. GENATEMPO  
BRIG. GEN. DAVID A. HARRIS, JR.  
BRIG. GEN. THOMAS K. HENSLEY  
BRIG. GEN. ROBERT S. JOBE  
BRIG. GEN. JEFFREY R. KING  
BRIG. GEN. LEONARD J. KOSINSKI  
BRIG. GEN. THOMAS E. KUNKEL  
BRIG. GEN. LAURA L. LENDERMAN  
BRIG. GEN. BROOK J. LEONARD  
BRIG. GEN. DAVID B. LYONS  
BRIG. GEN. MICHAEL E. MARTIN  
BRIG. GEN. ALBERT G. MILLER  
BRIG. GEN. HEATHER L. PRINGLE  
BRIG. GEN. CLARK J. QUINN  
BRIG. GEN. ADRIAN L. SPAIN  
BRIG. GEN. DANIEL H. TULLEY

**IN THE NAVY**

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

*To be rear admiral*

REAR ADM. (LH) JAMES A. AIKEN  
REAR ADM. (LH) MICHAEL E. BOYLE  
REAR ADM. (LH) KEITH B. DAVIDS  
REAR ADM. (LH) LEONARD C. DOLLAGA  
REAR ADM. (LH) CHRISTOPHER S. GRAY  
REAR ADM. (LH) JOHN E. GUMBLETON  
REAR ADM. (LH) SARA A. JOYNER  
REAR ADM. (LH) JAMES A. KIRK  
REAR ADM. (LH) ANDREW J. LOISELLE  
REAR ADM. (LH) BRENDAN R. MCLANE  
REAR ADM. (LH) PETER G. VASELY  
REAR ADM. (LH) JAMES P. WATERS III  
REAR ADM. (LH) GEORGE M. WIKOFF

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

*To be rear admiral (lower half)*

CAPT. CHRISTOPHER D. ALEXANDER  
CAPT. SEAN R. BAILEY  
CAPT. THOMAS R. BUCHANAN  
CAPT. CHRISTOPHER J. CAVANAUGH  
CAPT. BRAD J. COLLINS  
CAPT. JENNIFER S. COUTURE  
CAPT. WILLIAM R. DALY  
CAPT. ERIC J. ESILICH  
CAPT. RONALD A. FOY  
CAPT. PATRICK J. HANNIFIN  
CAPT. CHRISTOPHER A. KIJEK  
CAPT. OLIVER T. LEWIS  
CAPT. STEPHEN G. MACK  
CAPT. BENJAMIN R. NICHOLSON  
CAPT. RANDALL W. PECK  
CAPT. BENJAMIN G. REYNOLDS  
CAPT. MARK A. SCHAFFER

**IN THE AIR FORCE**

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

*To be major*

TASRIF AHMED  
HIROKO J. AKUZAWA  
MESHVA F. AKWALLA  
MAX AMERICAN  
GILBERT P. ANCIRA  
HEISY B. ASUSTA  
JONATHAN A. AUN  
CHRISTINA N. AWAD  
ALINE A. BABIKIAN  
LINDSAY M. BACH  
JENNIFER A. BARCLAY  
MAX J. BARNES  
BENJAMIN J. BARRINGER  
ALAN J. BARTHOLOMEW  
AMANDA J. BATTEN  
COURTNEY BEAVER  
CODY W. BECKSVOORT  
MATTHEW J. BEGOLA  
SAMUEL W. BERGIN  
MATTHEW L. BEZZANT  
BRADIE N. BISHOP  
SHAWN M. BISHOP  
ROBERT H. BLANK  
SARAH B. BOENICK  
CHELSEA K. BOCKELMAN  
JOSEPH P. BOWENS  
MITCHELL H. BOWMAN  
SAMANTHA J. BOYD  
ZACHARY T. BRADY  
DAKOTA T. BREISH  
KARIN JOYCE BROCKMAN  
ROGER J. BROGUIS II  
ERIC M. BRUNK  
MICHAEL B. BUICY  
KELSEY A. CACIC  
ALYSE M. CARLSON  
SARAH L. CARROLL  
ELVIRA N. CHICCARELLI  
MICHELLE Y. CHUNG  
BROOKE LOKIE CLAMPITT  
MICHAEL R. CLAMPITT  
WILLIAM R. CLARK  
BRENDAN R. CLEARY  
HENRIK E. CLOSE  
MONIKA P. CLUNEY  
JONATHAN T. COLSTON  
LAUREN P. COOGLE  
NOAH M. COOPERSTEIN  
CATHERINE M. COSS  
ANGELA M. CURELL  
BENJAMIN D. DAHLBERG  
EVAN C. DANNHARDT  
MARIAH ELIZABETH DAVIS  
REBECCA DILLON  
JAMES D. DIZMANG  
KENT H. DO  
PHUONG N. DO  
SARAH S. DOLBEAR  
IULIAN B. DRAGUSIN  
CHRISTOPHER S. DURKIN  
TIMOTHY A. DURSO  
JARED M. EAMES  
TAYM M. ELLISON  
ERIC E. ENGSTROM  
DAVIS ERICKSON  
JOHN A. ESCOBEDO  
JORDAN R. EVANS  
JOHN D. FELTENBERGER  
MICHAEL C. FERRARO  
DANE A. FISHER  
ANGELIQUE S. FORRESTER  
WILLIAM C. FOX  
STEPHANIE TUTTLE FULLEBORN  
DEE T. GARDNER  
DAVID R. GARNER  
LORI C. GATZKE  
JOHN N. GAYK  
ANDREW S. GIEGER  
CAMERON S. GILBERT  
NICHOLAS W. GINTHER  
PAUL E. GONZALES  
FREDRICK P. GRIFFITH IV  
KARL J. GUBLER  
TIMOTHY M. GÜENTHER  
SCOTT T. GUTHRIE  
CHRISTOPHER J. HABERKORN  
AMY E. HAMMEN